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1. AS READ IN A CAPITAL WHERE AN ABUNDANCE OF HIGH-QUALITY INFORMATION ON WORLD EVENTS IS READILY AVAILABLE, CURRENT FOREIGN RELATIONS IS NOT OF PARTICULAR UTILITY WHEN REGARDED A SOURCE OF INFORMATION. QUALITY NFWSPAPERS SUCH AS THE TIMES OF LONDON, LE MONDE AND IHT ARE FASTFR; THE ECONOMIST CASTS A WIDER NET. AS A SOURCE OF INSIDE, I.E. CLASSIFIED, INFORMATION ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF U.S. POLICY IN A GIVEN SITUATION, CFR IS NOT RICH FARE; THE MORE SENSITIVE THE SITUATION, THE THINNER THE GRUEL. WITH RESPECT TO HIGH QUALITY ANALYTICAL ARTICLES, CFR DOES INCLUDE SUCH PIECES WHICH ARE VALUABLE READING. THEY CONSTITUTE A MINORITY OF CFR OFFERINGS, HOWFVER, AND MANY REACH THIS POST THROUGH OTHER CHANNELS, THOUGH USUALLY MUCH LATER THAN THF CABLED CFR.

2. MOST SUBSTANTIVE OFFICERS HERE READ CFR SELECTIVELY AND DO NOT FEEL DEPRIVED IF THEY MISS AN ISSUE OR TWO. IN SUM, CFR IS USEFUL TO HAVE BUT NOT PRIORITY MATERIAL AT THIS POST. OLSEN
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